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In re Application of:	)
Wm. A. KNAUS et al.	) Group Art Unit: 3626
Application No: 09/822,261	) ) Examiner: Lena Najari:
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Title: BROADBAND COMPUTER-BASED NETWORKED SYSTEMS FOR CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF MEDICAL RECORDS

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## REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Sir:

In support of the Appeal Brief filed and dated October 30, 2006, with respect to the above-captioned patent application, Appellant respectfully requests an oral hearing. The requisite fee for the Oral Hearing is enclosed.

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